

NoodleTools Tip Sheet – Advanced

Database: ABC-CLIO

NoodleTools formats each database slightly differently, depending upon the original format of the content. Use this tip sheet if:

You have a source from ABC-CLIO

Before entering the database citation information in NoodleTools, it is important to identify the elements (“bits of information”) in your ABC-CLIO source citation so that you complete the citation correctly. Take a minute to identify these elements as shown below in “Anatomy of Database Citation.” The ABC-CLIO Tip Sheet follows the citation explanation.

Anatomy of an ABC-CLIO source citation

Format:

“Article/entry title.” **Title of reference database.** **Database Publisher,** **Year.** **Type of access.** **Date of access.** **URL.** *Note:* citation does not include the url. However, your teachers require you to include the url.

Example:

"Civil Rights Act (1866)." **American History.** **ABC-CLIO,** **2011.** **Web** **13 Jan. 2011.**

See your printout for the url. Include only up to the domain name.

NoodleTools will request the information in the same order in which it is listed on your citation. NoodleTools may ask for additional information. Include only the information that is listed in your citation.

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Select: Electronic / Online



Select: Cite a: and Create Citation



NoodleTools will ask:

- **Original Content?**

Select: ☒ Yes, this is original content created for this database (it never appeared in print or another publication medium) and Next.

Select:

- ☒ Reference Source and Next



Fill in the information as prompted

- consult your source citation for appropriate source information
- include only the information listed on your source citation
- For *Name of Database*:
 - **Select** *Choose from my library's list of databases*. From the Online databases drop-down menu select

Online databases:



Complete the Annotation at the bottom of the form and check for errors.



Check for errors and Generate citation. Double check against source citation.

Note: For National History Day Annotated Works Consulted (aka Annotated Bibliography) return to your NoodleTools Works Cited page to select primary and secondary source attributes.

To select attributes:

1. Click on the box to the left of your source.
2. At the bottom of the page, select the drop down Attributes box
3. Select “primary” or “secondary” to describe the source
4. Click on “apply”

Before converting to a Word doc, you will need to select “primary /secondary” at the sort box on the upper right.